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Jim – the agenda looks interesting – good overview. It should be helpful as we move forward on the Upper Animas especially if we get Sunnyside to perform an RI/FS on the Mayflower Tailings.

However, I hate webinars – I just don't get much out of them and when I saw that they were scheduling it for 2 days, that really turned me off. If it is really going to be that long a course, I think there should be consideration of holding it as part of a mining type of conference – sort of like the "Mining Influence Waters" conference last August in Albuquerque.

Keep me posted.

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Hello,

Michele Mahoney, OSRTI, chairs a small planning committee to design a CLU-IN webinar introducing mill tailing storage facilities targeted to RPMs, SAMs, and NEPA reviewers for initial delivery sometime in May 2015. Please comment on the agenda if you are interested and want more emphasis on a particular technical area. Forward the email to anyone within EPA Region 8 that might be interested. The initial idea for this type of technical training came from EPA R9 (John Hillenbrand)

Look for a doodle-type poll from me checking for the best choices of days in May for the initial webinar course delivery. Since this is CLU-IN, you can rely on screening the taped session at a later date and downloading the course slides when they become available.

Further questions could be addressed to me or Michele Mahoney.

Regards,

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